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The Last Stand of the 300 Video Questions

Directions: Answer the questions as you watch the video.

1. How many Spartans survived the Battle of Thermopylae? _____
2. King Xerxes ruled the _____ Empire.
3. The Persian Empire extended from the _____ River in India to the _____ River in Egypt.
4. Xerxes wanted to burn the Greek city-state of _____ to the ground.
5. The Persians outnumbered the Greeks _____ to one.
6. Why is Thermopylae an advantageous location to fight for the Greeks? _____

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7. _____ and _____ put aside their differences to fight against the Persians.
 8. Who lead the 300 Spartans at Thermopylae? _____
 9. Who were the 2 people who could have a tombstone at his/ her grave in Sparta? _____

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10. What is the final test for the Spartan teen? _____

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11. Leonidas was allowed to take _____ soldiers to Thermopylae.
 12. How far is Marathon from Athens? _____
 13. Growing up, Xerxes, had to fight what kind of animal? _____
 14. The Spartan fighting formation was called the _____.
 15. What was the name of the Persian forces who attacked the Spartans on the second day of the battle? _____

16. How many total troops are fighting for Greece on the last day of the Battle of Thermopylae? _____

17. How many total troops did Xerxes lose at Thermopylae? _____

18. What effect did the Battle of Thermopylae have on unifying Greece? _____

19. "If the Persians would have won, _____ would have been stopped in its tracks."